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SUBJECT: CONGO/BRAZZAVILLE: DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS
FUND ANNUAL REPORT

1. Annual Status Report for FY 2005 as of November 9, 2005:

(Note: Newly-arrived Charge d'affaires had the opportunity to visit several of these DHR projects November 17-18 with post's Aid Project Coordinator, Margo Mulumba, and Econ/Consular Officer Chelsea Bakken. Additional commentary and requests for assistance will be provided septel to ensure the viability of these efforts and future projects undertaken by Brazzaville's current staff, limited to an officer corps of three American direct-hire officers.)

(A) Part A - Prior Fiscal Year Funds.

FY 2003:

DHRF Number	Amount Obligated	Unliquidated Balance
(1) DHR-03-679-01	\$24,982	\$5,573

Grantee: LICOSE
Description: Conflict Resolution Education
Status: Grantee project was liquidated by USAID
Nairobi on June 17, 2005.

(Note: Post was notified on October 4, 2005, that, due to an accounting error, the unliquidated balance still remained on account. An accounting reconciliation will be made to correct the Agency Bureau code and to close this account.

(B) Part B - Current Fiscal Year (FY 2004) Funds.

FY 2004:

DHRF Number	Amount Obligated	Unliquidated Balance
(1) DHR-04-679-01	\$25,000	0
(2) DHR-04-679-02	\$13,961	\$9,307.33

Grantee: LICOSE
Description: Educational booklets printed to explain the electoral process
Status: This FY-04 project will be closed upon collection of receipts for the final advance.

(3) DHR-04-679-03	\$16,000	0
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(C) Part C - Success Story

(1) DHRF Number: DHR-04-679-03

Grantee: APROLAF Amount Expended: \$16,000
Description: Constitution Booklet Printing
Narrative: The purpose of this project was to print copies of the Republic of Congo constitution in two local languages, Lingala and Kituba. These educational materials were distributed to education and civic institutions in the Brazzaville community, to an audience of approximately 15,000 individuals.

2. If addition information is required, please contact Special Self-Help and Democracy/Human Rights Project Coordinator, Margo Mulumba, at margommulu@yahoo.com.

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